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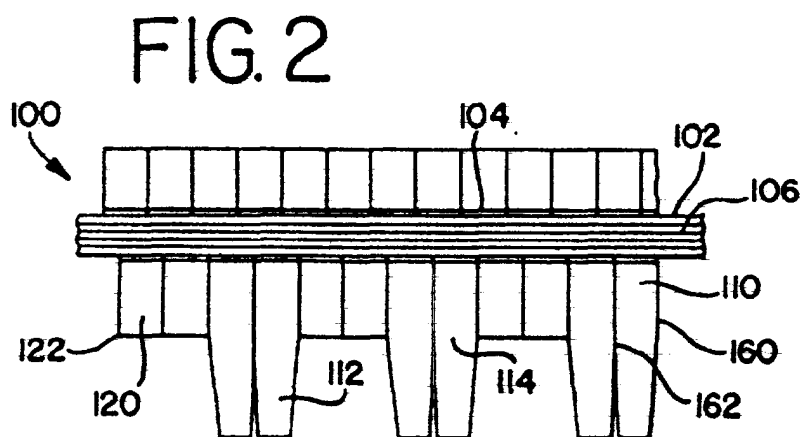
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Driving belt for fixed ratio transmission

(57) A power transmission system for transmitting power between a plurality of toothed sprockets mounted on rotating members. The system includes a chain (100) comprising a plurality of transverse elements (110,120) arranged in an endless loop and maintained in a stack by a plurality of endless carriers (102) received in slots

(104) in each transverse element. Power is transmitted along the chain by contact between the principal faces of the transverse elements. The transverse elements include a plurality of load bearing elements (112) which are configured to engage the teeth of the sprockets and provide power transmission therewith.





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